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Amendments to the Claims:

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

5 Listing of Claims:

1 (currently amended): A method for a wireless receiver capable of handling signals of different modes by a common ADC, comprising

receiving a transmitted radio frequency (RF) signal;

down-converting the transmitted RF signal into a baseband signal;

10 analog-to-digital converting the baseband signal into a primary digital signal with a basic data rate by the common ADC (analog-to-digital converter); processing the primary digital signal according to a first data rate not higher than the basic data rate to detect whether the primary digital signal with the first data rate carries information of a first predetermined mode; [[and]]

15 down-converting the primary digital signal into a second data rate lower than the basic data rate and then processing the primary digital signal according to the second data rate to detect whether the primary digital signal with the second data rate carries information of a second predetermined mode; and temporarily stopping processing the primary digital signal according to the second data rate when the information in the primary digital signal meets the first predetermined mode, or temporarily stopping processing the primary digital signal according to the first data rate when the information in the primary digital signal meets the second predetermined mode;

20 wherein the basic data rate is an integer multiple of the data rate of the least distortion-tolerant modulation format corresponding to one of the first predetermined mode and the second predetermined mode.

2-3 (cancelled)

30 4 (original): The method of claim 1, wherein the first data rate is the same as the basic

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data rate.

5 (original): The method of claim 1, wherein the basic data rate is an integer multiple of the first data rate.

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6 (original): The method of claim 1, wherein the first data rate is lower than the basic data rate and the step of processing the primary digital signal according to the first data rate comprises a step of down-converting the basic data rate into the first data rate.

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7 (previously presented): The method of claim 1, wherein the first predetermined mode is global system for mobile communications-1800 (GSM-1800) and the second predetermined mode is wideband code division multiple access (WCDMA).

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8 (previously presented): The method of claim 1, wherein the first predetermined mode is orthogonal frequency division multiplexing (OFDM) mode and the second predetermined mode is direct sequence spread-spectrum/complementary code keying (DSSS/CCK) mode.

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9 (cancelled)

10 (original): The method of claim 1, before the steps of processing the primary digital signal, comprising a step of filtering adjacent channel interference in the primary digital signal with a basic data rate.

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11 (currently amended): A wireless receiver capable of handling signals of different modes, comprising:

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an antenna for receiving transmitted radio frequency (RF) signal;
an RF module for down-converting the transmitted RF signal into a baseband

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signal;

5 a common ADC (analog-to-digital converter) for analog-to-digital converting the baseband signal into a primary digital signal with a basic data rate;

a first baseband processing module for processing the primary digital signal according to a first data rate not higher than the basic data rate to detect whether the primary digital signal with the first data rate carries information meeting a first predetermined mode; [[and]]

10 a second baseband processing module comprising:

a sample rate converter for down-converting the basic data rate into a second data rate lower than the basic data rate; and

15 a baseband processor for processing the primary digital signal with the second data rate to detect whether the primary digital signal with the second data rate carries information meeting a second predetermined mode; and

20 a power control module for temporarily switching one of the first and second baseband processing modules into a power saving mode when the other of the first and second baseband processing modules detects that the primary digital signal carries information meeting a corresponding predetermined mode;

25 wherein the basic data rate is an integer multiple of the data rate of the least distortion-tolerant modulation format corresponding to one of the first predetermined mode and the second predetermined mode.

12 (cancelled)

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30 13 (currently amended): The wireless receiver of ~~claim 12~~ claim 11, wherein the power control module is capable of switching all of the baseband processing modules into a full power mode when transmission procedures of a full-powered baseband processing module are completed.

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14 (original): The wireless receiver of claim 11, wherein the basic data rate is the same as the first data rate.

15 (cancelled)

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16 (currently amended): The wireless receiver of claim 11, wherein the ~~second first~~ data rate is lower than the ~~first~~ basic data rate and the first baseband processing module further comprises a sample rate converter for down-converting the basic data rate into the first data rate.

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17 (previously presented): The wireless receiver of claim 11, wherein the first predetermined mode is global system for mobile communications-1800 (GSM-1800) and the second predetermined mode is wideband code division multiple access (WCDMA).

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18 (previously presented): The wireless receiver of claim 11, wherein the first predetermined mode is orthogonal frequency division multiplexing (OFDM) mode and the second predetermined mode is direct sequence spread-spectrum/complementary code keying (DSSS/CCK) mode.

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19 (original): The wireless receiver of claim 11, wherein the sample rate converter is a Farrow interpolator or a Decimation Filter.

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20 (original): The wireless receiver of claim 19, wherein each baseband processing module comprises a Farrow interpolator for time recovery.